

# GRAND JUNCTION GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY

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**DECEMBER MEETING**  
**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 2018**  
**Joint meeting with the CMU Geology Students**

**7:30 PM**

**Saccomanno Lecture Hall**  
**(In the Wubben-Science Building)**

**Rob Gay**  
**Colorado Canyons Association**

**Will Speak On**

**“Fossils in Colorado’s National Conservation Areas”**

**Guests Are Always Welcome**

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**Please note that the meeting is a week earlier than usual  
because of the Christmas holiday**

## Fossils in Colorado's National Conservation Areas

Rob Gay

Colorado's National Conservation Areas are a treasure-trove of paleontological discoveries. From Triassic dinosaur tracks to mass death assemblages of the largest animals ever to walk the Earth, McInnis Canyons, Dominguez-Escalante, and Gunnison Gorge provide a unique insight into Earth's Mesozoic history. In this talk, Rob will discuss the history of paleontological discoveries in these NCAs, as well as an overview of the diversity of these paleontological resources and why they continue to produce world-class and significant specimens.